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56 (New). A composition as in claim 55 wherein said sugar is lactose, sucrose, mannitol or sorbitol.

57 (New). A composition as in claim 41 wherein said pharmaceutically acceptable carrier is a binder selected from the group consisting of maize starch, wheat starch, rice starch, potato starch, gelatin, tragacanth, methyl cellulose, hydroxypropylmethyl cellulose, sodium carboxymethyl cellulose, and polyvinyl pyrrolidone.

58 (New). A composition as in claim 41 wherein said pharmaceutically acceptable carrier is selected from the group consisting of carboxymethylstarch, cross-linked polyvinyl pyrrolidone, agar, or alginic acid or a salt thereof.

59 (New). A composition as in claim 41 wherein said pharmaceutically acceptable carrier is a flow-regulating agent or lubricant selected from the group consisting of silica, talc, stearic acid or salts thereof, and polyethylene glycol.

60 (New). A composition as in claim 59 wherein said salt is magnesium stearate or calcium stearate.

61 (New). A composition as in claim 41 wherein said pharmaceutically acceptable carrier is a coating selected from the group consisting of sugar solutions which optionally contain gum arabic, talc, polyvinyl pyrrolidone, polyethylene glycol and/or titanium dioxide, lacquer solutions, and a cellulose preparation.

62 (New). A composition as in claim 61 wherein said cellulose preparation is acetylcellulose phthalate or hydroxylpropylmethylcellulose phthalate.

63 (New). A composition as in claim 41 wherein said pharmaceutically acceptable carrier is gelatin.

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64 (New). Composition as in claim 41 wherein said pharmaceutically acceptable carrier is a base selected from the group consisting of triglycerides, paraffin hydrocarbons, polyethylene glycols and higher alkanols.

65 (New). A composition as in claim 41 wherein said pharmaceutically acceptable carrier is a lipophilic solvent or vehicle selected from the group consisting of fatty oils and fatty acid esters.

66 (New). A composition as in claim 41 wherein said pharmaceutically

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acceptable carrier is an aqueous injection suspension selected from the group consisting of sodium carboxymethylcellulose, sorbitol, and dextran.